

Date: November 1, 2005

Alexandria Louisiana 71302-9121

Bid Number: 6322

Invitation, Bid, and Acceptance

Your quote must be made on this form (3) pages, and returned by Mail, Fax, or E-mail.

Include specifications and descriptive literature if bidding an "EQUAL" item.

The right is reserved to award by item, related items, or total, which ever is deemed to be in the best interest of the university.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities.

Bids received after time and date specified will be rejected and returned unopened.

bids can be accepted by U.S. Mail, E-mail, or Fax Transmission.

Unless otherwise specified, all bids shall be binding for 15 calendar days from the opening date.

Taxes should **not** be included in quotation.

Prices are to be submitted F.O.B., LSU at Alexandria, Campus.

INVITATION

Bids, subject to the conditions herein stated
will be received at this office until:

Thursday, November 10, 2005 closed at 1:00p.m.

And then publicly opened for furnishing the following products and/or services for the LSU at Alexandria

INSPECTION: All products/services are subject to the inspection and approval of the using department. Material rejected shall be returnable to the vendor for full credit at price charged, plus shipping/deliver expenses.

Signed- Larry E. Williams- Director of Procurement Services

Shipment will be made from _____ within _____ days after receipt of the Order.

BID

DATE: _____

Item no.	Quantity Unit	Description Specifications on page 2 of this document	Unit Price	Total
1	01	Processor Quality Control kit / Model no. 607914 including- Sensitometer, portable, blue/green Densitometer , digital, portable, Digital Thermometer, QA handbook, Carry/Storage Case / Cone Instruments item number 607914 or equal		
2	01	Full Function Meter / Model no. 607959 Full Range KV, time-exposure measurement simultaneous, Auto waveform ID, Internal correction for mammographic target filter comb., RS232 Serial interface., Compatible with other radiographic, mammographic and CT chambers, 1 yr warranty / Cone Instruments item no. 607959 or equal		
3	04	Standard Scope Set / with Nasal Illuminator to include 1 halogen 3.5v ophthalmoscope, 1 halogen 3.5v dual-purpose otoscope/throat illuminator, 1 halogen 3.5v nasal illuminator, 1 rechargeable 3.5v handle (110-130v), 4 reusable specula, 1 case- Moore Medical item no.12849 or equal		

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4	01	Diagnostic Instruments, Universal Desk Charger Set – including- (PanOptic) Ophthalmoscope, Diagnostic Otoscope and 2 Ni-Cad Handles- Moore Medical item no. 67672 or equal		
5	02	A-B-C Breast Examination Set, Nasco no. SB14912U or equal- kit contains small, medium, large models with five lumps with carrying case- Must send descriptive literature if bidding a different but equal item.		
6	02	Testicle Model, Nasco no. LZ02014U, or equal- life-size natural feel for use as self-examination model- includes two(2) pathological findings. Must send descriptive literature if bidding a different but equal item.		
7	01	Ear Exam Simulator & basic nursing set, Lifeform Nasco no.LF01019U or equal- Must send descriptive literature if bidding a different but equal item.		
8	01	Ear Exam Simulator Supplementary Set for Advanced Training, Lifeform, Nasco no. LF01020U or Equal- Must send descriptive literature if bidding a different but equal item.		
9	01	Male Catheterization Simulator, Lifeform, Nasco no. LF00855U or Equal- Must send descriptive literature if bidding a different but equal item.		
10	01	Blood Pressure Simulator Arm with PDA, variable systolic and diastolic pressures from 0-300mm Hg, sound jack for group listening auscultatory gap setting and heart rate setting. Nasco No. SB40135U or Equal - Must send descriptive literature if bidding a different but equal item.		
11	01	Electronic Stethoscope, Nasco no. SB40210U or Equal- Must send descriptive literature if bidding a different but equal item.		

Preference is hereby given to materials, supplies, and provisions, produced, manufactured or grown in Louisiana, quality being equal to articles offered by competitors outside of Louisiana. NOTE: Out of state firms who may be awarded an order as a result of this quotation agree to signing a certificate stating: "I hereby certify that I have paid to the state and its political subdivisions all taxes duly assessed by the state of Louisiana and its subdivisions, including franchise taxes, privilege taxes, sales taxes, and all other taxes for which I am liable." Said certificate shall accompany firm's invoice.

In compliance with the above invitation for bids and subject to the conditions thereof, the undersigned offers and agrees if this be accepted within _____ days from the date of opening to furnish any or all of the items at the price set opposite each item.

Company _____ Address _____

By _____ Title _____

Acceptance by: **Louisiana State University at Alexandria** Date _____

Accepted as to items numbered- _____

Signed _____

Director of Procurement Services

IF BIDDING OTHER THAN SPECIFIED, PLEASE SUPPLY SPECIFICATIONS OF ITEM BID INCLUDING DESCRIPTIVE LITERATURE OF THE ITEM TO VERIFY EQUAL FEATURES

THIS IS NOT A SEALED BID PROCUREMENT- PLEASE PRICE AND RETURN CLEARLY IDENTIFYING BID BY U. S. MAIL, E-MAIL, OR FAX TRANSMISSION - TO LSU ALEXANDRIA PROCUREMENT SERVICES; 8100 HWY 71 SOUTH; ALEXANDRIA LA 71302 BY-

1:00p.m., Thursday, November 10, 2005

FAX #318-473-6539

E-Mail: lwilliams@lsua.edu

IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOUISIANA REVISED STATUTES 39:1595.5, A PREFERENCE SHALL BE ALLOWED TO LOUISIANA RETAILERS BIDDING ITEMS OF EQUAL QUALITY, PROVIDED THE COST DOES NOT EXCEED BY MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT (5%) THE COST FROM A RETAIL DEALER LOCATED OUTSIDE THE STATE. A RETAIL DEALER SHALL QUALIFY FOR THE PREFERENCE IF THE DEALER CAN SHOW THAT HE HAS PAID LOUISIANA CORPORATE INCOME, CORPORATE FRANCHISE AND INVENTORY TAXES OR ANY COMBINATION THEREOF DURING THE PREVIOUS TWELVE-MONTH PERIOD.

DO YOU CLAIM THIS PREFERENCE?

YES_____

NO_____

SIGNATURE

EACH BIDDER IS TO DISCLOSE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION BY ANSWERING YES OR NO TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

1. Is the bidder a legislator or person who has been certified by the Secretary of State as elected to the Legislature? _____
2. Is the bidder a spouse of a legislature? _____
3. If the bidder is a corporation, partnership, or other legal entity, does legislator or his spouse own any interest in that corporation, partnership or other legal entity?_____
4. If the bidder is a corporation, is it a publicly traded corporation? _____

SIGNATURE

Quality: Unless otherwise called for in the specifications, all products are to be new, current model, and of best quality as measured by accepted standards of the trade, and any defects in any product may cause its rejection. WHEREVER MANUFACTURERS' TRADE OR BRAND NAME APPEAR IN THE specifications, IT IS TO BE ASSUMED THAT EQUAL PRODUCTS WILL BE CONSIDERED UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED BY THE UNIVERSITY. THE USE OF A BRAND NAME IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DESCRIBING THE STANDARD OF QUALITY, PERFORMANCE AND CHARACTERISTICS DESIRED AND IS NOT INTENDED TO LIMIT OR RESTRICT COMPETITION, AND BIDDER PROPOSING EQUAL PRODUCTS MUST SUBMIT WITH BID COMPLETE INFORMATION, INCLUDING BROCHURES AND PICTURES DEPICTING PROPOSED EQUALS. FAILURE TO DO SO IS CAUSE OR MAY CAUSE REJECTION OF BID IN PART OR IN ITS ENTIRETY. Where applicable, all products are to be covered by standard factory warranty unless otherwise specified by University.